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INFO USMTM DHAHRAN SA
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E.O. 11652:GDS

TAGS: MASS, SA

DEFENSE GUN

REF: USMTM 191313 MAR 78

1. AS NOTED IN PARA 5C OF REFTEL, PD-13 PROHIBITS SALE OF
NEWLY DEVELOPED WEAPONS SYSTEMS NOT YET OPERATIONALLY
DEPLOYED WITH U.S. FORCES AND THE DEVELOPMENT OR
SIGNIFICANT MODIFICATION OF UNIQUE ADVANCED WEAPONS SYSTEMS
SOLELY FOR EXPORT. USG THEREFORE COULD NOT APPROVE
SALE AS REQUESTED. DEPARTMENT WOULD SIMILARLY NOT APPROVE
COMMERCIAL SALE OR MANUFACTURING AGREEMENT.

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2. EMBASSY OR USMTM AT EMBASSY DISCRETION SHOULD IN
CONVEYING DECISION TO SAG STRESS POLICY IMPLICATIONS OF
REQUEST AS STATED ABOVE AND POINT OUT THAT DECISION IS
BASED ON WORLDWIDE ARMS TRANSFER POLICY IN NO WAY DIRECTED
AGAINST SAG. IF AND WHEN ANY SUCH SYSTEM BECOMES
OPERATIONALLY DEPLOYED WITH U.S. FORCES, WE WOULD OF
COURSE BE WILLING TO RECONSIDER THE REQUEST. VANCE

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Message Attributes

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